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SUBJECT: TRAVEL BY DR. PETER BOURNE, SAODAP

1. DR. PETER G. BOURNE, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF WHITE HOUSE SPECIAL ACTION OFFICE FOR DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION (SAODAP) PLANS TO TRAVEL ADDRESSEE POSTS SUBSEQUENT TO E.A. NARCOTICS MEETING IN SINGAPORE. PURPOSE OF TRAVEL WILL BE TO DISCUSS EXISTING AND POSSIBLE NEW INTERNATIONAL AND BILATERAL DRUG ABUSE PROGRAMS, TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE, TRAINING AND FUNDING WITH BOTH THE AMERICAN COMMUNITY AND FOREIGN GOVERNMENT AT EACH POST. THE SPECIAL ACTION OFFICE IS INITIATING SEVERAL NEW PROGRAMS TO PROVIDE TREATMENT, ASSISTANCE AND UNCLASSIFIED

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TRAINING IN THE DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION AREA.

2. DR. BOURNE WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY PROVIDING BRIEFING OF LOCAL DRUG SITUATION AND MAKING APPROPRIATE APPOINTMENTS WITH HOST GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND U.S. COMMUNITY REPRESENTATIVES CONCERNED WITH DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION. HE IS ALSO WILLING TO ADDRESS INTERESTED GROUPS CONCERNING RECENT TRENDS OF DRUG ABUSE AND DRUG ABUSE TREATMENT AND PREVENTION IN THE UNITED STATES AND THROUGHOUT S.E. ASIA, IF SUCH PROGRAMS ARE DESIRED AND CAN BE FIT INTO SCHEDULE.

3. FOR BANGKOK: DR. BOURNE ESPECIALLY INTERESTED IN BANGKOK ADOLESCENT DRUG TREATMENT PROGRAM. HE WILL APPRECIATE EXTENSIVE BRIEFING, TOUR OF FACILITIES, AND

OPPORTUNITY TO SPEAK WITH ADULT AND ADOLESCENT PARTICIPANTS. DR. BOURNE ALSO ANXIOUS TO MEET WITH THAI OFFICIALS TO DISCUSS RELEVANT UN PROJECTS AND THAI REQUEST FOR USG ASSISTANCE FOR DRUG ABUSE TREATMENT PROGRAMS. HE WOULD LIKE TO MEET WITH DCM ED MASTERS. PREFERS ERAWAN HOTEL IF POSSIBLE.

4. FOR SAIGON: DR. BOURNE ESPECIALLY CONCERNED WITH RECENT VIETNAMESE REQUEST FOR AID FROM WHO, WHICH APPARENTLY MAY NOT BE FORTHCOMING. HOPES TO MEET WITH MIKE MCCANN AND LY KY HOANG.

5. FOR VIENTIANE: WE ARE ATTEMPTING TO COORDINATE ARRIVAL OF DR. JOSEPH WESTERMEYER TO VIENTIANE IN TIME TO BE THERE WHEN DR. BOURNE ARRIVES. DR. BOURNE CONCERNED WITH ONGOING TREATMENT PROGRAM FOR LAOTIANS AND WOULD APPRECIATE COMPLETE BRIEFING AND TOUR OF FACILITIES. MEETINGS WITH APPROPRIATE HIGH RANKING LAOTIAN OFFICIALS DESIRED, HOWEVER WILL FOLLOW GUIDANCE OF EMBASSY.

6. FOR HONG KONG: DR. BOURNE WILL BE ACCOMPANIED IN HONG KONG BY CANDACE L. COWAN, CHIEF, INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS DIVISION, SAODAP. BOTH INTERESTED IN MEETING WITH NARCOTIC COMMISSIONER NORMAN ROLPH. WOULD ALSO APPRECIATE EMBASSY NOTIFYING DR. L. K. DING OF ANTICIPATED VISIT OF DR. BOURNE AND MS. COWAN. THEY WOULD UNCLASSIFIED

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APPRECIATE TOUR OF HIS METHADONE PROGRAM, AS WELL AS THOSE OF HONG KONG GOVERNMENT. SAO CONSIDERING POSSIBILITY OF FUNDING STUDY OF HONG KONG TREATMENT PROGRAMS. DR. BOURNE AND MS. COWAN ALSO INTERESTED IN PROBLEM OF DRUG ABUSE BY AMERICAN DEPENDENTS IN HONG KONG. THEY ALSO WISH TO MEET WITH DR. WEN HSIANG-LAI OF THE TAKSHING HOUSE CONCERNING USE OF ACUPUNCTURE IN TREATMENT OF HEROIN ADDICTION.

7. FOR ALL POSTS: PLEASE ARRANGE SINGLE HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS FOR DR. BOURNE FOR APPROPRIATE TIME PERIODS ACCORDING TO SCHEDULE WHICH FOLLOWS. DR. BOURNE WILL APPRECIATE BEING MET UPON ARRIVAL AND EMBASSY COORDINATION OF HIS VISIT. FOR HONG KONG, PLEASE ARRANGE TWO SINGLE HOTEL ROOMS FOR DR. BOURNE AND MS. COWAN AND ASSIST AS APPROPRIATE.

8. DR. BOURNE'S SCHEDULE:

FEBRUARY 2, 1974 - SATURDAY

DEPART SINGAPORE AT 8:30 A.M. ON JL 714
ARRIVE BANGKOK AT 10:05 A.M.

TO SAIGON FROM BANGKOK FEBRUARY 5, 1974 - TUESDAY

DEPART BANGKOK AT 9:00 A.M. ON TG 200
ARRIVE SAIGON AT 11:25 A.M.

TO VIENTIANE, LAOS FROM SAIGON FEBRUARY 6, 1974 -
WEDNESDAY

DEPART SAIGON AT 9:00 A.M. ON VN 498
ARRIVE VIENTIANE, LAOS AT 11:05 A.M.

TO HONG KONG FROM VIENTIANE FEBRUARY 8, 1974 - FRIDAY

DEPART VIENTIANE AT 9:30 A.M. ON HKG-RY 410
ARRIVE HONG KONG AT 13:45 (1:45 PM)

TO WASHINGTON, D.C. FROM HONG KONG - FEBRUARY 12,
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1974 - TUESDAY)

DEPART HONG KONG AT 10:00 A.M. ON NW 004
ARRIVE DULLES AT 16:40 (4:40 P.M.) ON NW 78
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